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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Yukinori MATSUMOTO et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2676**

Serial No.: **09/994,829**

Examiner: **Wesner SAJOUS**

Filed: **November 28, 2001**

Confirmation No.: **1134**

For: **TEXTURE INFORMATION ASSIGNMENT METHOD, OBJECT  
EXTRACTION METHOD, THREE-DIMENSIONAL MODEL  
GENERATING METHOD, AND APPARATUS THEREOF**

Attorney Docket No.: **990191B**  
Customer Number: **38834**

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

January 23, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 27, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

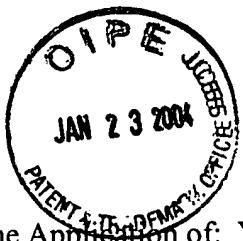
**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this page.

**Remarks** begin on page 24 of this paper.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated

as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	30	42	=		X \$9	X \$18	\$00
Independent Claims	27	21	=	6	X \$43	X \$86	\$516.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims					\$140	280	
							\$516.000

XX Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$516.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this amendment.

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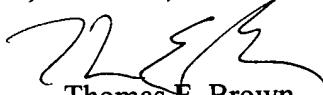
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XX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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